

Governor's Commission for a Drug Free Indiana

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Comprehensive Community Plan

County: Grant

LCC: Grant County Drug Alcohol Resource Team (DART)

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Plan Summary

Mission Statement: DART's mission is to identify community drug problems, coordinate community initiatives, design comprehensive collaborative community strategies and monitor anti-drug activities in Grant County.

History: DART is an outgrowth of a community meeting focusing on the issues of youth and chemical dependence that occurred in October 1986. DART subsequently expanded its efforts to serve people of all ages and throughout Grant County.

Grant County has a population of 74,572 and an average per capita income of \$24,472 (2002) compared with the statewide average per capita income of \$28,032. The county has for years been a strong manufacturing community, but recent closures of several plants and the lost of several thousand jobs are forcing community leaders to seek out other potential employers as well as educational opportunities for displaced workers.

Summary of the Comprehensive Community Plan: DART has a Comprehensive Plan/Proposal Review Committee that reviews and monitors the Comprehensive Community Plan and Plan Updates. In addition, DART regularly gathers information about community ATOD activities through its monthly meetings, attended by board members and representatives of DART-funded programs. This information is included in each year's plan.

The DART Board of Directors also ranks priority problems on an annual basis. As in past years, the primary problems identified for Grant County are: 1. Lack of parent/adult involvement leads to lack of youth supervision, 2. Demand for alcohol, tobacco and other drugs leads to individual/community impairment, gangs and violence, and 3. Treatment gaps result in delayed services, insufficient treatment and recidivism.

DART monitors projects outlined in this plan through several methods. Funded programs are required to provide a written monitoring report each September that reports program activities, status of objectives and budget details. Program representatives are also required to provide a short oral report to the board of directors each year. In addition, DART coordinators gather information about programs and community needs through stories published in local newspapers.

Membership List

County LCC Name: Drug Alcohol Resource Team (DART)

| Name | Organization | Race | Gender | Category |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| Mike Andry | Sheriff's Dept. | C | M | Law Enforcement |
| Larry Batchelor | New Hope | AA | M | Religion |
| Debby Beckman | Girl Scouts | C | F | Other |
| Dick Bragg | Brunt's Menswear | C | M | Business |
| Michelle Burrows | Milestone Treatment | C | F | Treatment |
| Nancy Coble | Center School | C | F | Education |
| Kent Cocking | Tucker School | C | M | Education |
| Natalie Conn | Superior Court III | C | F | Judiciary |
| Lisa Couch | Tobacco Coalition | C | F | Civic Organization |
| Chris Cunningham | Community Corrections | C | M | Judiciary |
| Doug Daugherty | Grace House | C | M | Treatment |
| Jacque Dodyk | DART | C | F | Other |
| Eric Fields | Sheriff's Dept. | C | M | Law Enforcement |
| James Gartland | Atlas Foundry | C | M | Business |
| Mike Henson | Drug Court | C | M | Judiciary |
| Dave Homer | Prosecutor's Office | C | M | Judiciary/ Government |
| James Loftin | Marion Police Dept. | C | M | Law Enforcement |
| Bria McCarty | Lakeview School | AA | F | Youth |
| Randy McPike | Indiana State Police | C | M | Law Enforcement |
| Brenda Morehead | DART | C | F | Other |
| Roger Rayburn | Affordable Housing Corp. | C | M | Self-help |

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| Deana Reece | Family Service Society, Inc. | C | F | Other |
| Cassandra Rogers | Early Head Start | AA | F | Other |
| Mike Ross | Sheriff's Dept. | C | M | Law Enforcement |
| Rita Scallon | Grant-Blackford Mental Health | C | F | Treatment |
| Audrey Schmidt | GM Plant/UAW | C | F | Labor |
| Marty Shanks | None | C | M | Parent |
| Kelly Sickafoose | Governor's Commission | C | F | Government |
| Mark Stefanatos | Marion Police Dept. | C | M | Law Enforcement |
| Kelly Turner | Step Ahead | C | F | Other |
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Problem Identification

Problem Statement #1: Lack of parent/adult involvement leads to lack of youth supervision which can lead to ATOD use.

Supportive Data:

- Girl Scouts of the USA, as part of the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy's National Youth Anti-Drug Media Campaign, identified the need to inoculate youth from the negative influences such as alcohol, tobacco and other drugs, citing statistics that children who "don't get along with their families" and/or "are sad, depressed or lonely" as two risk factors for involvement with ATOD (Girl Scouts 2004 Monitoring Report).
- Evidence based research supports parental/family involvement in the successful treatment of adolescents demonstrating a 60 percent reduction in recidivism. Without parental/family involvement and support, the identified long-term success rate is approximately 15 percent. (Milestone Addiction Services 2004 Monitoring Report).
- 50 referrals were made for teens to an anger control program in 2004. (Family Service Society, Inc. 2004 Monitoring Report).
- According to the Grant County Compass Study (1999, updated 2001) Grant County has an unfavorable score of 139.35 based on a statewide average of 100 on the Family Risk Factors Index for alcohol and drugs.

Year 1 Update:

- **According to the Indiana Youth Tobacco Survey, 21 percent of Hoosiers in grades 9-12 are smokers.**
- **36 referrals were made for teens to an anger control program in 2005.**
- **The target population for the Telemachus Mentoring Program is youth ages 6-16 who are from single-parent homes, referred by other organizations or referred by community adults. Group activities attempt to solve the problems that surface when there is a lack of positive adult influence in the lives of the youth.**

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Objectives:

- **Support programs that involve families.**
- **Support programs that increase the availability of family activities and services.**
- **Support programs that define the roles of parents and increase parental responsibility.**

Year 1 Update:

- **DART co-sponsored the 10th annual Drug and Alcohol Quiz Bowl for 30 area 5th and 6th grade students from 12 schools in May 2005. 750 quiz bowl booklets containing drug and alcohol prevention and education information were distributed to Grant County 5th and 6th graders.**
- **36 teens received scholarships to attend anger control program services from Family Service Society, Inc. in 2005.**
- **The Grant County Tobacco Coalition had contact with 2000 students in Grant County during the 2004-2005 school year.**
- **The New Light Community Development Center Celebrating Recovery program served 40 youth during 2005, providing prevention education about tobacco, alcohol and illegal drugs. Each week, participants were required to take literature home to discuss with parents, and parents were required to attend a parent/instructor conference to discuss their individual child.**
- **Girl Scout leaders and parents increased their knowledge of ATOD in 2005 through program participation in the In the Zone: Living Drug Free program. During the summer session, all nine girls who participated increased their scores from pre- to post-test. The mean score for pre-tests was 2.4 on a scale of 10. The mean score for post-tests was 9.4 on a scale of 10.**
- **Family members were required in 2005 to attend family days during phase II and II of the Grant County Drug Court. Pro-family and pro-social family incentives were passed out, and participants were encouraged to use them and report back on what they did.**
- **In the Milestone adolescent treatment program during 2005, parents were educated via instruction and role-play regarding their roles as parents and were given an opportunity to practice newly-acquired skills with family and peers under the guidance of a group leader.**

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Goals:

- **Parents and youth will participate in a minimum of six DART-funded Grant County programs that will promote parental involvement, appropriate role models and supervision.**

Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:

- **Parents and youth participated in seven DART-funded programs during 2005 that promoted parental involvement, appropriate role models and supervision: Family Service Society Aggression Replacement Training, Girl Scouts: Living in the Zone Drug Free, New Light Celebrating Recovery, Milestone Treatment Services, Grant County Drug & Alcohol Quiz Bowl, Grant County Tobacco Coalition, and the Telemachus Mentoring Program.**

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Problem Statement #2: Demand for ATOD leads to individual/community impairment, gangs, violence.

Supportive Data:

- In 2004, the Marion Police Department arrested 312 suspected intoxicated drivers, an increase of 35% over the 203 arrested in 2003. Of the year 2004 arrests, 82% were misdemeanors and 18% were felonies. 8% of the arrests were for Blood Alcohol Concentrations of between .08 and .09 percent. The remainder (92%) were for BAC levels of .10% or more.
- Of the 312 arrests of suspected intoxicated drivers made in Marion in 2004, 55% resulted in additional charges being filed against the driver. The charges included such things as driving while suspended, possession of marijuana, leaving the scene of a crash and habitual traffic offender.
- The four Operation Pullover/DUI taskforce blitzes conducted by the Grant County Sheriff's Dept. in 2004 resulted in 176 DUI arrests.
- Girl Scouts of the USA, as part of the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy's National Youth Anti-Drug Media Campaign, identified the need to inoculate youth from the negative influences such as alcohol, tobacco and other drugs citing statistics that children who "have peers who abuse drugs engage in other deviant or anti-social behavior." (Girl Scouts 2004 Monitoring Report).
- Referrals to Family Service Healthy Anger for Teens (50 in 2004) often indicate multiple concerns such as ATOD use, problems at school, gang involvement, poor peer relationships, vandalism and violence. (Family Service 2004 monitoring report).

- The Grant County Highway Drug Interdiction Team seizures in 2004 included large amounts of marijuana plants, processed marijuana and cocaine. (Grant Co. Highway Interdiction Program 2004 monitoring report).
- At least 95 percent of adolescents who receive a drug/alcohol assessment are identified as having a substance abuse related problem. Approximately 75 percent of the adolescents were referred by the legal system in Grant County. (Milestone Addiction Services 2004 monitoring report).

Year 1 Update:

- **The Marion Police Department's arrest of intoxicated drivers went down by (53%) in 2005 to 149 arrests. The drop from 2004 was attributed to the extremely large volume of arrests in 2004. Of the 149 arrests during 2005, 110 (73 %) were C misdemeanor arrests and 11 were D felonies (7 %). Twenty eight were A misdemeanors (18%).**
- **The four Operation Pullover/DUI taskforce blitzes conducted by the Grant County Sheriff's Dept. in 2005 resulted in 953 total citations, including 42 for misdemeanor DUI and 9 for felony DUI.**
- **Grant County's Joint Effort Against Narcotics (JEAN) Team had a record year in 2005, investigating more cases than any year in its 18-year history. In 2005, 219 cases were investigated, 72 more than in 2004, and breaking a 5-year-old record of 155 cases in a single year. Also in 2005, the JEAN Team made 81 arrests, 35 more than the 2004 total.**
- **In 2005, the JEAN Team filed 134 criminal cases with the prosecutor's office, an increase from 97 in 2004.**
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Objectives:

- **Support programs that increase awareness of societal consequences of ATOD abuse.**
- **Support programs that delay or prevent the first use of ATOD.**
- **Support programs that assist law enforcement interdiction efforts**

Year 1 Update:

- The Grant County Tobacco Coalition had contact with 2000 students in Grant County during the 2004-2005 school year.
- The Family Service anger control program continues to use a research-based curriculum that has proven to be effective in changing the often-distorted thinking of adolescents while improving the skills and moral judgments needed to make healthy decisions. The moral reasoning component addresses societal consequences of ATOD use and strengthens the youth's values about making right choices for themselves and society.
- DART provided funding to provide overtime pay for four Grant County Operation Pullover/DUI Taskforce blitzes in 2005.
- DART provided funding to provide moving radar units for the Marion Police Department Operation Pullover program.
- DART provided funding to provide overtime pay for the Grant County Highway Interdiction program.
- DART provided funding to provide a moving radar unit and two LED arrow police lights for the Indiana State Police.
- 30 individuals participated in the first year of the Grant County Drug Court.

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Goals:

- Eleven DART-funded organizations will provide services that educate the community about the consequences of ATOD abuse. Law enforcement officials will be provided the necessary support to continue interdiction efforts.

Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:

- **Eleven DART-funded organizations continued to provide services in 2005 that educated the community about the consequences of ATOD abuse: Boys & Girls Club Telemachus Mentoring, Family Service Aggression Replacement Training, Girl Scouts In the Zone Living Drug Free, New Light Celebrating Recovery, Tobacco Coalition, Jail Addictions/Continuing Care, Milestone Addiction Services, Grant County Drug Court, Marion Police Dept. Operation Pullover, Grant County Operation Pullover, Grant County Drug & Alcohol Quiz Bowl.**

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Problem Statement #3: Treatment gaps result in delayed services, insufficient treatment and recidivism.

Supportive Data:

- Comprehensive substance abuse treatment is currently available at one location in Grant County. (Milestone Addiction Services 2004 monitoring report.)
- There is a gap in available ATOD services in Grant County. Residential and extended treatment services are needed for substance dependent, adult males with a history of criminal offenses, unstable housing and/or compromised employment. (Grace House 2004 monitoring report.)
- Local providers estimate referrals to Grace House will be 5-9 individuals per month. (Grace House 2004 monitoring report.)
- 65-75 percent of addicted individuals relapse within one year of leaving inpatient or outpatient treatment. (Kinney & Leaton, 2003.)
- A continuum of appropriate services and aftercare are critical to successful outcomes for addicted individuals. (NIDA, 2002.)

Year 1 Update:

- **Grace House for Transition and Recovery began providing transitional housing linked to outpatient treatment services for adult males with a history of criminal offenses, unstable housing and/or compromised employment in March 2005.**
- **The Grant County Drug Court, which is completing its first year of operation, integrates treatment into the correction system by making treatment part of the sentencing criteria.**
- **One of the Grace House 4Community Collaborative survey findings was that more than 70% of the inmates surveyed believe that alcohol and drug use are serious issues for them when released from jail, with 43% reporting that they currently have an alcohol/drug problem. Of these inmates, 40% report that they would seek drug/alcohol treatment upon their release from jail, and 40% sought drug and/or alcohol treatment prior to their arrest. High numbers of inmates who have sought and would seek drug/alcohol treatment is indicative of a high potential for relapse.**
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Objectives:

- **Support programs that make treatment available to all persons with ATOD problems**
- **Support programs that provide treatment services to youth.**

Year 1 Update:

- **Grace House served 12 men between March and December 2005.**
- **The Jail Addictions Treatment program served 30 new clients in 2005.**
- **The Milestone Addictions Program served 75 youth ages 13-18 in 2005 with identified addiction needs.**
- **Milestone reports that treatment recidivism of those polled in 2005 was 30%. Approximately 80% of those polled reported an increase in positive family interaction.**
- **Milestone reports that historically adolescents and their families requiring substance abuse treatment waited 2-3 weeks to begin treatment. With the current (2005) assessment being used, they are able to begin services within 5 business days.**

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Goals:

- **Increased availability of treatment services, such as the addition of Grace House in 2005, will help meet current service gaps and reduce recidivism in DART-funded programs by 10 percent (updated).**

Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:

- The opening of Grace House in March 2005 increased the availability of treatment services in Grant County. Because the program has been operational for less than a year, recidivism rates are not yet available but should be available for the 2007 update.
- In June 2005, the Grace House 4Community Collaborative, of which DART is a community partner, was initiated in conjunction with Grace House operations to enable housing and other service providers to chart the safe and successful return of prisoners to the community. 4community planning partners commissioned surveys with jail inmates, service providers, and community leaders to engage affected communities directly in the selection of current issues and barriers to successful re-entry in Grant County.

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Please attach the County's Fiscal Report for review!

Next Annual Update Due: 3/2007

Next Comprehensive Community Plan Due: 3/2008

Date of Community Consultant Review: 2/17/2006

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Terms and Conditions:

The information and data provided is presented as factual and accurate. I hereby acknowledge that I can be asked to submit proper documentation regarding the data submitted within the Plan. Failure to do so could result in a "denied approval" by the Commission under IC 5-2-6-16.

The Local Drug Free Communities Fund must be spent according to the goals identified within the plan. I hereby acknowledge that I can be asked to submit proper documentation regarding funds that are collected, allocated, and disbursed within the county. Failure to do so could result in a "denied approval" by the Commission under IC 5-2-6-16.

Initials: BKM

Grant County DART Court Receipt Deposits -- 2005

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| Deposit | 01/11/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 4,884.00 | 4,884.00 |
| Deposit | 02/02/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 6,916.00 | 6,916.00 |
| Deposit | 03/03/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 8,971.00 | 8,971.00 |
| Deposit | 04/04/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 8,666.00 | 8,666.00 |
| Deposit | 05/03/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 5,138.00 | 5,138.00 |
| Deposit | 06/07/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 5,368.00 | 5,368.00 |
| Deposit | 07/01/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 6,019.00 | 6,019.00 |
| Deposit | 08/04/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 4,091.50 | 4,091.50 |
| Deposit | 09/01/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 5,670.50 | 5,670.50 |
| Deposit | 10/03/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 3,871.50 | 3,871.50 |
| Deposit | 11/01/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 5,079.50 | 5,079.50 |
| Deposit | 12/01/2005 | Court Receipts (OWI Fines) | 5,197.00 | <u>5,197.00</u> |
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DART Funding by Category – 2005

| Applicant Agency/Name of program | Category | Purpose of Grant | 2005 Funded |
|---|-----------------|--|----------------------------------|
| Boys and Girls Club/Telemachus Mentoring | P& E | Materials/supplies for drug/alcohol education | \$2,000 |
| Family Service Society, Inc./Aggression Replacement Training | P&E | Scholarships for youth participants | \$2,400 |
| Grace House for Transition & Recovery | P&E | Drug/alcohol education materials for participants | \$2,000 |
| Girl Scouts of Wapehani Council/In The Zone Living Drug Free | P&E | Curriculum/staffing for leader/student sessions | \$3,375 |
| New Light Celebrating Recovery | P&E | Supplies for youth prevention program | \$2,980 (\$5,000 requested) |
| Tobacco Coalition | P&E | Materials/travel for youth prevention | \$4,000 |
| Miscellaneous prevention activities (Red Ribbon Week, Quiz Bowl, 4C Community Grant, National Family Week) | P&E | Red Ribbons, prize bags, placemat sponsorship, grant collaboration | \$931 |
| Total Prevention | | | \$17,686 |
| Grant Blackford Mental Health/Milestone Addiction Services | T | Scholarships for youth treatment | \$8,000 |
| Grant Co. Community Corrections/Jail Addictions-Continuing Care | T | Materials/staffing for jail treatment | \$10,000 (\$10,460 requested) |
| Grace House for Transition & Recovery | T | Staffing for residential treatment | \$3,300 |
| Total Treatment | | | \$21,300 |
| Marion Police Dept./Operation Pullover | J | Overtime pay and radar equipment for patrols | \$6,000 |
| Grant Co. Sheriff's Dept./Operation Pullover | J | Overtime pay for patrols | \$5,645 (\$6,000 requested) |
| Grant Co. Sheriff's Dept./Highway Interdiction | J | Overtime pay for patrols | \$4,645 (\$5,000 requested) |
| Indiana State Police | J | Moving radar unit and arrow lights | \$1,710 |
| Grant Co. Sheriff's Dept./K-9 unit | J | K-9 unit/training | \$2,000 |
| Grant Co. Drug Court | J | Incentives for participants | \$900 |
| Total Justice | | | \$20,900 |
| Administrative Costs (coordination services, phone, P.O. box, postage, printing, corporate filing fees) | | | \$15,491 |
| TOTAL | | | \$75,377 |

Unused Dollars from Previous Years

The balance of court receipts rolled forward in the county fund from 2005 to 2006 was \$79,184. Note: In December 2005, DART approved paying claims of 80% of 2006 allocations in the amount of \$43,913 from the rollover amount. In January 2006, this reduces the county drug free fund to a balance of \$35,271.

Grant County DART Grant Application Process/Grantee Requirements

Grant applicants are required to submit a written proposal for funding on DART-provided forms in October of the year prior to the proposed funding year. A proposal review committee meets in late October to review grant applications. The committee's recommendations are reviewed and voted on by the full board at the November meeting.

Programs that have been awarded funding are asked to sign contracts by Dec. 31. Claim payments are made through the Grant County Auditor's Office in January.

Program representative are required to complete a written monitoring report, present a short (5-minute) oral report at a board of director's meeting and attend 60% of DART board meetings each year. Failure to meet the attendance and monitoring report requirements may result in a 20% reduction in funding the following year or denial of funding.